OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 7TH JANUARY 1928.

A total of 41 attacks with 22 deaths from plague was returned during the week, the districts affected being Bangalore, Kolar, Mysore and Shimoga. The Cities of Bangalore and Mysore returned one attack with one death and two attacks with nil deaths respectively while the Kolar Gold Fields area continued to remain free from the disease.

2. Comparative figures for the corresponding week were 64 attacks with 53 deaths for 1926 and 270 attacks with 113 deaths in 1925.

3. The State continued to remain free from Cholera, Influenza and relapsing fever.

4. A total of 17 attacks with 10 deaths from Small-pox was returned for one village in the Sorab Taluk and for the City of Mysore.

5. The total mortality for the Bangalore City for the week was 64 representing a calculated annual ratio of 28·07 per mille of population against the average ratio of 27·05 for 1926. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 1 under plague, 9 under pneumonia, 1 under other fevers, 6 under phthisis, 6 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 41 under all other causes.

6. The total mortality for the Mysore City for the week was 89 representing a calculated annual ratio of 55·14 per mille of population against the average ratio of 24·71 for 1926. The causes of deaths were small-pox 10, malaria 3, pneumonia 8, other fevers 2, phthisis 1, dysentery and diarrhœa 13 and all other causes 52.

7. There were 39 deaths from all causes reported from the Kolar Gold Fields area equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 22·61 per mille of population against the average ratio of 26·18 for 1926. The causes of deaths were fevers 3, phthisis 1, dysentery and diarrhœa 6, and all other causes 29.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 14TH JANUARY 1928.

A total of 19 attacks with 14 deaths from plague was returned during the week the districts affected being Bangalore, Kolar, Mysore and Shimoga. The City of Bangalore and the Kolar Gold Fields area continued to remain free from the disease, while the Mysore City returned one attack with one death.

2. Comparative figures for the corresponding week were 47 attacks and 27 deaths for 1926, and 169 attacks and 110 deaths in 1925.

3. The State continued to remain free from cholera, influenza and relapsing fever during the week.

4. Nineteen deaths from small-pox were returned for one village in Honnali Taluk and the Mysore City.

5. The total mortality for the Bangalore City amounted to 68, representing a calculated annual ratio of 29·76 per mille of population against the average ratio of 27·05 for 1926. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 2 under malaria, 7 under pneumonia, 1 under other fevers, 6 under phthisis, 4 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 48 under all other causes.

6. The total mortality for the Mysore City for the week was 88, representing a calculated annual ratio of 54·50 per mille of population against the average ratio of 24·71 for 1926. The causes of deaths were small-pox 21, plague 1, malaria 5, pneumonia 9, other fevers 1, phthisis 4, dysentery and diarrhœa 7 and all other causes 40.

7. There were 37 deaths from all causes reported from the Kolar Gold Fields area equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 21·45 per mille of population against the average ratio of 26·18 for 1926. The cause of deaths were pneumonia 3, other fevers 3, phthisis 1, dysentery and diarrhœa 5 and all other causes 25.

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